

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

The following listing of claims replaces all prior listings, and all prior versions, of claims in the application.

**Listing of Claims:**

1. (original) A transference-less water-repellent film inhibiting an occurrence of transferring a water-repellent component via a glass handling tool that contacts with the water-repellent film formed by applying a water-repellent coating liquid composition comprising silicon alkoxide or its hydrolyzate, silane compounds containing fluoroalkyl group, and acid dissolved in a solvent over the surface of a substrate and by drying, wherein the water-repellent coating liquid composition comprises:

- (A) silicon alkoxide or its hydrolyzate in an amount of from 0.05 mass % to 0.20 mass % as converted to silica;
- (B) silane compounds with fluoroalkyl group in an amount of from 0.001 mass % to 0.003 mass % as converted to silica;
- (C) acid in an amount of (from 0.01 to 0.30)/(degree of acidity) mol/liter;
- (D) water in an amount of from 0.5 mass % to 2.0 mass %; and
- (E) alcoholic solvent in an amount of the residue.

2. (original) The transference-less water-repellent film according to Claim 1, wherein the concentration of the fluorine at the surface of said water-repellent film is from 0.8 to 1.2 expressed as a ratio between fluorine atoms and silicon atoms.

3. (currently amended) An article covered by said transference-less water-repellent film according to Claim 1 ~~or Claim 2~~.

4. (new) An article covered by said transference-less water-repellent film according to Claim 2.